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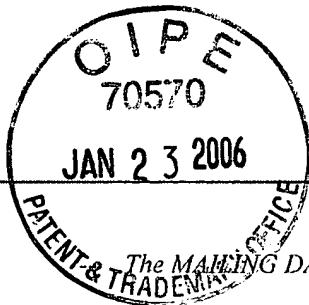
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5. The document entitle "Notice Under 37 CFR 1.251 – Pending Application" that was mailed by the USPTO to and signed by Applicants' attorney.

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Respectfully submitted,



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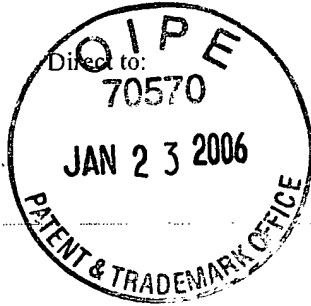
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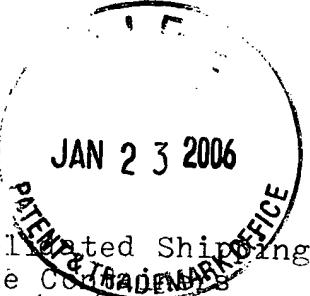
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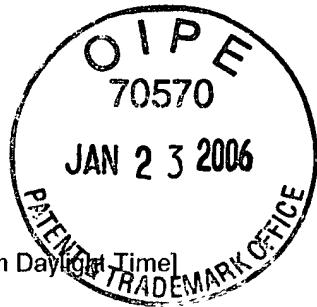
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<p>Regards, <i>Ken Leeds</i> Kenneth B. Leeds Reg. No. 30,566 Agent for Applicant</p>			
<p>Pursuant to rule 37 CFR 1.8(a)(ii), the undersigned attorney hereby certifies that this correspondence was sent to the above-mentioned FAX number on July 28, 2005</p>			
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